

"AS YOU LIKE IT" AT THE OPERA HOUSE

The coming to this city on August 11 of Hortense Neilsen and her wonderfully trained cast of players for the presentation of "As You Like It," Shakespeare's wonderful play, is attracting much attention in Hendersonville and surrounding section. Miss Neilsen has gathered together one of the best casts of amateur players for the famous production which has never been trained in Asheville and the famous play promises to be well worth going to see.

The proceeds will go to the Patton Memorial Hospital.

Miss Neilsen will offer the Shakespearean play, called by many the masterpiece of the famous English writer, for three days beginning August 11th. Miss Neilsen, well known in dramatic circles, is one of the most ardent students of Shakespeare and his plays in the country and she is considered an authority on the works of the great English writer. She thinks that his "As You Like It" is one of the best plays of its kind ever written and it is for this reason that she has selected it as the one to present to this city and surrounding towns.

The famous dramatist and Shakespearean student brings with her one of the best trained casts of its kind in the south. Selected from the student body of the Asheville High School and especially trained for several years by Mrs. Anna R. Ross, of the school of expression of the high school, the cast of local talent is said to be exceeding the attainments of many professional players. It is thought that a large crowd will welcome the players when they appear here for the four performances.

WANTS MASONIC HALL HERE

It is understood there is a strong agitation for a Masonic hall here, to be a part of one of the several new buildings soon to be erected.

SHREDDER AND BALER

I desire to get into communication with some one owning a shredder and baler who will be in a position to handle about forty acres of corn this fall. Address Hendersonville, Post-office Box 428, or Phone 66.

Pickerts Stock Company

C. B. McBrayer, mayor of Shelby, writes as follows in regard to the Pickert Amusement Co.:

"The show is absolutely clean and brimfull of wholesome amusement and fun. There are no jokes cracked at the expense of decency and bolstered up by vulgarity and vulgar suggestions. I heartily recommend this show as being really refreshing and it is a fine diversion with which to top off the day."

"We shall be glad to have this show return."

Respectfully,
C. B. McBRAYER, Mayor."

Delicate Compliment by Dear Wife.

There is nothing so soothing to an elderly registrant as to have his dear wife pat his slippery crown and say that he needs a haircut dreadfully.—Grand Rapids Press.

FIFTH AVE. HOME FOR SALE

Just ten minutes walk from Main street, with Southern exposure is a seven room residence, with all modern conveniences, including hot air heat, two stories on a lot 75 x 150 for sale.

The house is well built, double floors, just two years old to the month. House cannot be duplicated for the money asked by the owner.

Parties interested see Ewbank, Ewbank & Co., Staton & Rector, Smith, Jackson & Morris.

TWO BROTHERS

When this country went to war the law firm of Arledge and Arledge, in the picturesque little town of Columbus, Polk county, broke up and dissolved, right then. For one of the members of the firm, Yates Arledge, now a member of Smith, Shipman & Arledge, enlisted, won a commission and went to France. The other member of the firm, Boone Arledge, enlisted one week later, and he, too, went to France, from which he returned Tuesday.

And he comes back as Sergeant Arledge, too, after having seen real service against the Hun. He landed Tuesday, and for a time will be at Camp Stewart. The two brothers have not met since New Year's day of '19, when, oddly enough, they had dinner together in France.

And that's the way the war was won—multiplying the experience of these two brothers many times over. The dust is thick on the law library in the Polk county town, but won't be long. For one of the brothers is already carving out a name and a reputation for himself, and as it is in the blood, the newly returned Sergeant will soon be doing the same thing.

EXCAVATION STARTED

The excavation for the Citizens National bank's new building has been started, and bank officials say they will be doing business there within the year.

The lot adjoining has been purchased by E. W. H. H., Frank and John Ewbank, for something thing over \$8,000. It is understood the new purchasers will improve their property with a handsome office building, to be occupied by the well known real estate firm of Ewbank & Ewbank.

Mrs. Wm. Band, who has been a patient at the Patton Memorial Hospital for the past two weeks, left for her home at Brevard Thursday.

Wm. A. Band, manager of the Brevard Printery made a business trip to town this week.

Drawing the Line.

"The fresh young man who always wants to 'start something,'" remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "draws the line when it comes to the morning fire in the stove."—Yonkers Statesman.

August

Comes now to Henderson the month of August and splendid midsummer, with the warm earth bringing to fruitage seed sown during springtime. The fruits of the sowing will be harvested later, while the forests are changing their garb of emerald to robes of barbaric splendor.

Even now sumac and sourwood flame scarlet signals of fall's approach over the hills guarding Hendersonville, with the woods still luxuriantly leaved and the turquoise sky flecked with summer clouds. The daintiest of all feathered creatures, the humming bird, still sips the nectar of the flowers and the summer roses are gorgeous in their wanton beauty.

These be the glorious days of midsummer in the mountains—warm, bright, invigorating, with nature at the apex of her power. To many who toil midsummer days may seem long, but comes night and the evening star. Then the splendor of the day is stilled, the radiance of the great orb has disappeared beyond Pisgah and the purpling hills. Night slowly draws her mantle around a world preparing to rest and the stars herald a newer world in the skies beyond.

The melody of the night birds breaks the stillness and whippoorwills are turning thickets into song. The symphony of the winds whispering to topmost branches of tall pine and fir is part of harmony celestial, eloquent of happiness found in a day's work well done, in rest well earned, in duties performed. The world is quite still and shines over all the evening star—bright evangel of hope and happiness in store.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

There will be institutes for farmers and for women held at Edneyville on Monday, August 18, and at Mills River on Tuesday, August 19. The institutes will open at 10:30 o'clock in the morning.

Some of the subjects to be treated will be economical soil improvement, food and feed crops, live stock, pastures and marketing. The women's institute will be conducted by representatives of home demonstration work. Some of the topics will be, good recipes for fireless cookers, how to prepare food for the sick, balance

ing meals on a small income, up-to-date laundry methods, convenient arrangement of kitchen with home-made labor saving devices.

Every farmer and every farm woman in Henderson county should attend these institutes. Knowledge is the greatest power on earth today and here is a chance to obtain knowledge free.

Solicitor J. E. Shipman Returns

Solicitor J. E. Shipman has returned home, and some of his friends asked him, the other day, did he not think Hendersonville had grown some during his absence? Or words and sentences to that general tenor and effect.

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Rhodes Auto Company

tor had been attending the many sessions of criminal court and his visits home have been few and brief. He is here for some time, however, and has taken up his work again in the law offices of Smith, Shipman and Arledge.

Danger Everywhere.

Little Millie's father and grandfather were Republicans, and, as election drew near, they spoke of their opponents with ever-increasing warmth, never heeding Millie's attentive ears. One night as the little maid was preparing for bed she cast a fearful glance across the room and whispered in a frightened little voice: "Oh, mamma, I'm afraid to go to bed. I'm afraid there's a Democrat in the closet."—Organizer.

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